

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION**

<b>DIPANJAN NAG, Ph.D.,</b>	)	
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<b>Plaintiff,</b>	)	<b>Case No. 2:20-cv-3471</b>
	)	
	)	<b>Judge Sargus</b>
<b>v.</b>	)	
	)	<b>Magistrate Judge Deavers</b>
<b>OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, et al.,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Defendants.</b>	)	

**JOINT STATUS REPORT**

In accordance with the Court's February 1, 2022 Order (Doc #50), Plaintiff Dipanjan Nag and Defendants The Ohio State University, Bruce McPheron, Michael Papadakis, and the Ohio State Innovation Foundation (collectively, the "Parties") hereby jointly report that they have reached a resolution of this matter, which is in the process of being executed. The Parties anticipate submitting a stipulation of dismissal with prejudice on or before **March 21, 2022**.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that on February 28, 2022, the foregoing was filed with the Court and served via the Court's electronic filing system, which shall provide notice to counsel for all parties.

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